USCMS Engineer Status Report for Choose Month

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March 15, 2004

1 Work Performed This Month

Joe Kaiser Status Report Week Ending Sunday Feb 01, 2004

CMS: - Create status report. 0.5h - Various CMS email. 2h - CMS Tier-1 meeting 1.5h - Farm team meeting. 1h - Adding users to password file for UAF. 1h - Fixing httpd daemon on cmssrv02. 1h - LCG2 - Installed hotdog47, 50, and 49 and verifying. 2h - Exploring Rocks and appliance possibilites. 2h - Various updates and discussions with Lisa about current work. 2h - Helped Dave with kerberos, ssh, mounting etc. on Ibrix servers. 5h - Investigation and rebooting of various failed hotdogs nodes, 32, 5, 24. 4h - Setup cmsstor01 and cmsttor05 for dCache usage for Jon Bakken. 1h - Installing new database server. 5h - Figuring out and solving console issue on ACE servers. 3h - Investigating accounting issues and the filling up of /var. 2h

Joe Kaiser Status Report Week Ending Sunday Feb 08, 2004

CMS: - Create status report. 0.5h - Status report for hotdog65. 0.5h - Various CMS email. 2h - CMS Tier-1 meeting 1.5h - Farm team meeting. 0.5h - Cyclades meeting. 1.0h - LCG2 Conference call. 1.0h - Continued investigation of hotdog5. 2h - Finished console cable runs on ACE hardware. 2h - Put up and edited todo list on webpage. 1h - Sending back RMA drives to ASA. 1h - Created document for migrating rocks and console servers. 3h - Migrating cmssrv01. 4h - Finding schemas for Yujun. 1h - MySQL tweaks on cmssrv06. 1h - Getting console connections on the Dell's working correctly. 1h - Testing bad nic problems on cmssrv01. 1.5h - Adding gcc3.2 to ramen. 0.5h

Joe Kaiser Status Report Week Ending Sunday Feb 15, 2004

CMS: - Farm Team Meeting. 1h - LCG2 Conference call. 0.5h - CMS Tier-1 Facilities meeting + monitoring. 1.5h - Create status report. 0.5h - Installing replacement drive in cmsstor01. 2h - Attempt to add memory to Eonstor (failed). 1h - Update of LCG2 status to Michael. Verifying LCG2 installation. 1.5h - Reboot and troubleshoot cmssrv04. 1h - Migration of Rocks server. 10h - Documentation. 3h

Joe Kaiser Status Report Week Ending Sunday Feb 22, 2004

CMS: - CMS Tier-1 Facilities meeting 1.5h - Create status report. 0.5h - IBRIX installation. 16h - Disk drive failure of Eonstor on cmsstor04: investigation. 6h - Setup of Raidwatch monitoring software for all Eonstor disks. 7h - Documentation, new and updates. 3h - Machine check. 1h - Investigation of hotdog34 and hotdog40. 1h. - Upgrade of dcap libraries. 0.5h - Troubleshoot and reboot hotdog62. 0.5h - Various monitoring discussions with Lisa. 1h Joe Kaiser Status Report Week Ending Sunday Feb 29, 2004

CMS: - CMS Tier-1 Facilities meeting 1.5h - Create status report. 0.5h - GDB conference call. 1.0h - LCG2 conference call. 1.0h - Farm Team meeting. 1.0h - Installation of dcache with correct ordering in Rocks - prescripts not working. 2h - Rebooting and configuring cmsstor01. 1h - Troubleshooting XFS/Infortrend issues. 3h - Mounting problems on UAF. 1h - Reboot and configing of cmsdcdr1. 1h - IBRIX phone conferences. 1.0h - Problems with the Raidwatch software - troubleshooting and fixing. 4h - Failover and IBRIX. 8h - Mysqldb backup scripts. 4h - Working on srcmp checks. 4h - Documentation. 4h

2 Status of Deliverables

Upcoming - to be delivered when they get here and not a moment too soon.

3 Plans For Next Month

Anniversary (14 years!) Birthday (ninth anniversary of 29th birtday!) LCG2 and support of DC04.

4 Longer Term Plans

Buy a farm. Raise and grow heirloom vegetables and heritage livestock (turkeys and what-not), perhaps put in a shrimp farm. Sell the above mentioned goods to high end restaurants looking to have unique local flavors on their menus. (Okay, shrimp really aren't that local to the midwest - but they are a big seller.)

Have at least one more child.

Poke myself in the eye with a sharp stick after the last child is born. It will be less painful than sending the previous group of children to college.

Attain wisdom before people think I'm too dotty to be taken seriously.

Write a book of wise sayings that will spawn a small feel-good industry. Like "Cajun/Creole Chicken Sausage Gumbo for A System Administrator's Soul" or "The UPS Box."

Become dotty.

5 Resources Needed

I am not asking for chocolate because nobody EVER brings me any, even though they spend gobs and gobs of time on the continent that essentially INVENTED chocolate confections. I don't need them. I can become diabetic all by myself on Hershey's Dark Chocolate Kisses.

6 Links To Supporting Documentation

- http://www.hersheys.com/
- http://www.usmsfp.org/
- http://www.slowfoodusa.org/turkeys.html